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SUBJECT: 57TH ECOSOC: ITEM 9-WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE

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1. FOLLOWING DRAFT RESOLUTION, SPONSORED BY EGYPT, INDIA, JAMAICA, JORDAN, KENYA, PAKISTAN AND YUGOSLAVIA, REGARDING FERTILIZER POOL (FAO RES 1/63) TO BE INTRODUCED IN PLENARY SESSION TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY (DEBATE ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR TODAY, TUESDAY).

2. ON BASIS EXCHANGE OF RETELS OUR ASSUMPTION IS THAT U.S. DELEGATION CAN GO ALONG WITH A CONSENSUS. PLEASE CONFIRM.

3. BEGIN RESOLUTION:

QTE: THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL,  
RECALLING ITS RESOLUTION 1836 (LVI) OF 14 MAY 1974  
CONCERNING EMERGENCY MEASURES IN REGARD TO THE SUPPLY  
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OF FERTILIZERS AND PESTICIDES,

HAVING RECEIVED THE REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL IN PURSUANCE OF THAT RESOLUTION, NOTING WITH APPRECIATION THE ACTION TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS ALSO IN PURSUANCE OF THAT RESOLUTION, REAFFIRMING ITS CONTINUED CONCERN FOR THE SCARCITY AND PREVAILING HIGH PRICES OF FERTILIZERS AND PESTICIDES, (1) WELCOMES RESOLUTION 1/63 ADOPTED ON 19 JULY 1974 BY THE COUNCIL OF THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION (SEE E/L.1609) IN PURSUANCE OF THE REQUEST FOR ACTION EXPRESSED BY THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL AND ESPECIALLY THE APPROVAL FOR THE IMMEDIATE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL FERTILIZER SCHEME; AND IN PURSUANCE OF THIS;

(A) REQUESTS THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION TO IMPLEMENT THE INTERNATIONAL FERTILIZER SUPPLY SCHEME WITH URGENCY;

(B) CALLS ON ALL GOVERNMENTS TO PARTICIPATE FULLY IN THE SCHEME;

(C) APPEALS TO GOVERNMENTS OF INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES AND OTHERS IN A POSITION TO DO SO TO CONTRIBUTE IMMEDIATELY TO THE FERTILIZER POOL IN THE FORM OF FERTILIZER OR OF CASH;

(D)(1) INVITES THE GOVERNMENTS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES TO KEEP THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION INFORMED OF THEIR CURRENT FERTILIZER AND PESTICIDES IMPORT REQUIREMENTS AND TO SUBMIT REQUESTS FOR FERTILIZERS UNDER THAT SCHEME;

(II) INVITES THE GOVERNMENTS OF DEVELOPED EXPORTING COUNTRIES TO KEEP THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION INFORMED REGULARLY OF THE AVAILABILITY OF FERTILIZERS AND OF PLANS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF FERTILIZERS TO MEET THE MINIMUM DEMAND OF THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES;

(2) RE-EMPHASIZES THE NEED FOR DEVELOPED COUNTRIES MANUFACTURING FERTILIZERS AND PESTICIDES TO IMPLEMENT URGENTLY PARAGRAPH 2 OF RESOLUTION 1836 (LVI) WITH A VIEW TO MAKING AVAILABLE FERTILIZERS AND PESTICIDES TO DEVELOPING COUNTRIES AT REASONABLE PRICES;

(3) URGES DEVELOPED COUNTRIES TO ENSURE THAT LOW

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PRIORITY USES OF FERTILIZER ARE REDUCED TO A MINIMUM;

(4) CALLS UPON THE INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES TO TAKE ALL POSSIBLE STEPS, INCLUDING THE PROVISION OF TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ON THE MOST FAVORABLE POSSIBLE TERMS THROUGH ALL APPROPRIATE INSTITUTIONS, TO IMPROVE FERTILIZER PRODUCTION IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES;

(5) REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED

NATIONS TO BRING THIS RESOLUTION URGENTLY TO THE  
ATTENTION OF GOVERNMENTS AND TO APPEAL FOR AN URGENT  
AND POSITIVE RESPONSE;

(6) REQUESTS THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE FOOD AND  
AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION TO REPORT TO THE RESUMED  
FIFTY-SEVENTH SESSION OF THIS COUNCIL ON THE PROGRESS  
OF THE SCHEME OUTLINED IN RESOLUTION 1/63 OF 19 JULY  
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